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SUBJ: US CIVAIR BILATERALS WITH WEST AFRICAN COUNTRIES

REF: A) STATE 037671 B) ABIDJAN 1831 C) STATE 054041

1. BELOW IS ESSENTIAL TEXT OF DIPLOMATIC NOTE NUMBER 3967/

AE/CEFC-5/KA FROM GOIC WHEREIN FORMAL REQUEST IS MADE

OF USG TO UNDERTAKE NEGOTIATIONS FOR CIVAIR BILATERAL.

NOTE POUCHED TO DEPARTMENT ATTENTION EB/TT/OA.

2. "PANAM, A UNITED STATES AIR CARRIER HAS BENEFITED UP UNTIL

NOW FROM AN OPERATING PERMIT WHICH ACCORDED THE EXPLOITATION

OF AN AIR LIAISON BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES.

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TO THIS EXPLOITATION, IT WOULD BE HIGHLY DESIRABLE THAT THE

TWO STATES UNDERTAKE NEGOTIATIONS FOR A BILATERAL AIR AGREEMENT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. CONSEQUENTLY, THE IVORIAN GOVERNMENT HOPES THAT THE EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WOULD INTERVENE WITH THE RESPONSIBLE AMERICAN AUTHROITIES, TO PERMIT THE INITIATION OF SUBJECT NEGOTIATIONS TO THE BENEFIT OF OUR TWO COUNTRIES."

3. LOCAL PANAM DIRECTOR RECEIVED A REQUEST FROM IVORIAN MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTS TO UNDERTAKE NEGOTIATIONS ON AN AIR BILATERAL. REF B. THE DIRECTOR'S RESPONSE TO THE MINISTRY THAT ONLY GOVERNMENTS CAN UNDERTAKE SUCH NEGOTIATIONS UNDOUBTEDLY PRECIPITATED THIS FORMAL REQUEST FROM GOIC.

4. IN VIEW OF GUIDANCE REFTELS PLEASE ADVISE APPROPRIATE RESPONSE TO IVORIAN REQUEST.
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